

Regional Hazard Mitigation Planning

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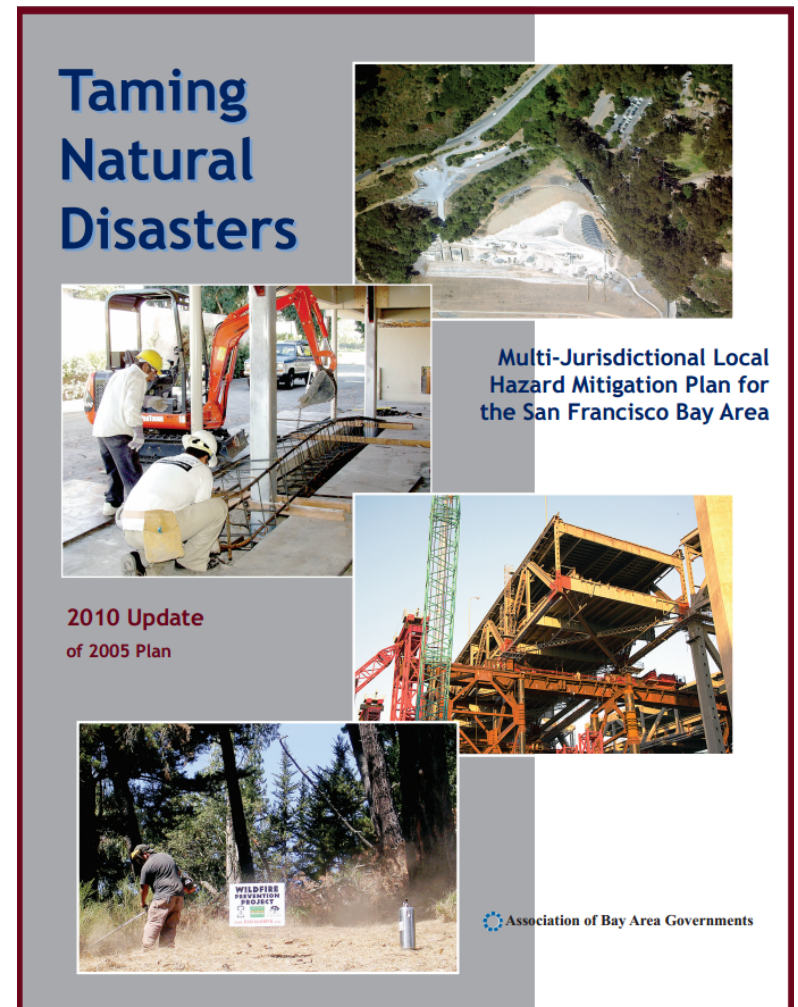
Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation planning background

First regional plan in 2005

Regional plan update in 2010

- Adopted by ABAG board February 18, 2010
- Approved by FEMA March 24, 2010
- Over 80 annexes

Next update due 2016



Benefits of Local Hazard Mitigation Plans

- Hazard mitigation assistance programs
- Points under the National Flood Insurance Program's Community Rating System (CRS)
- Waiver of the 6.25% local match for Public Assistance money after a disaster.



2010 Plan elements



- The Plan – chapters and introduction
- Participating Jurisdictions – Annexes
- Mitigation Strategies – by jurisdiction
- Appendix A – The Planning Process
- Appendix B – Maintenance and Update Process
- Appendix C – Natural Hazards Risk Assessment
- Appendix D – Disaster History
- Appendix E – Land Use Change and Hazards
- Appendix F – Private Property Loss Exposure
- Appendix G – Regional Mitigation Strategies
- Appendix H – Record of Plan Participation
- Appendix I – Participating Jurisdictions Contact List
- Map Plates
- Exposure Tables

Components of plan elements

- Regional assessment:
 - Infrastructure
 - Health
 - Housing
 - Economy
 - Government Services
 - Education
 - Environment
 - Land Use
- Regional mitigation strategies

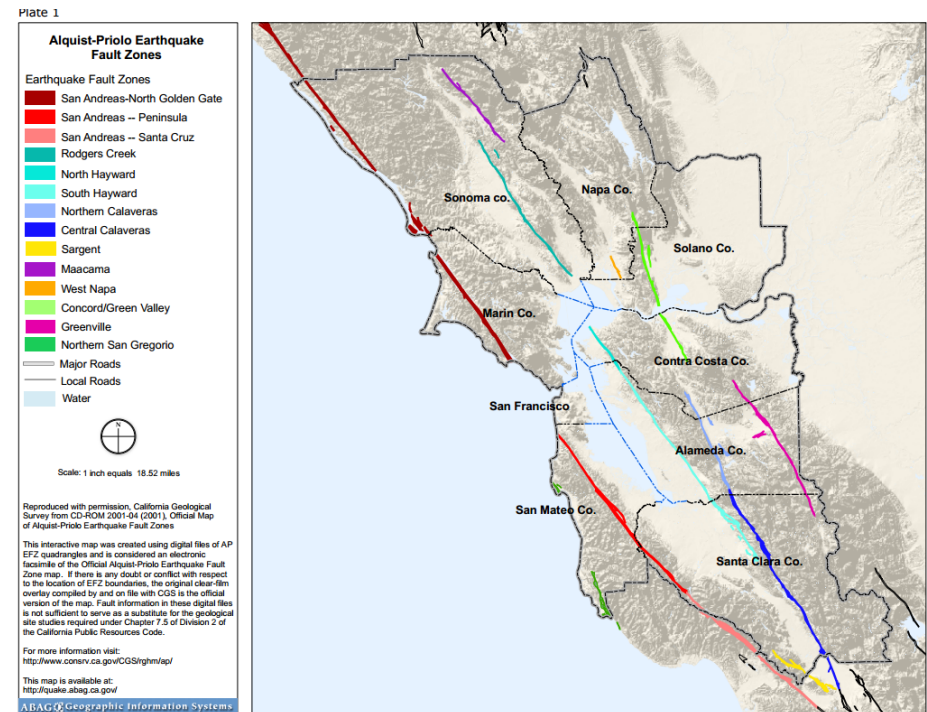


Plate 1

Planning process

- Workshop forums at RPC meetings
- Workshops for local governments
- Chapter development and review by committee
- Public awareness

Planning process, continued

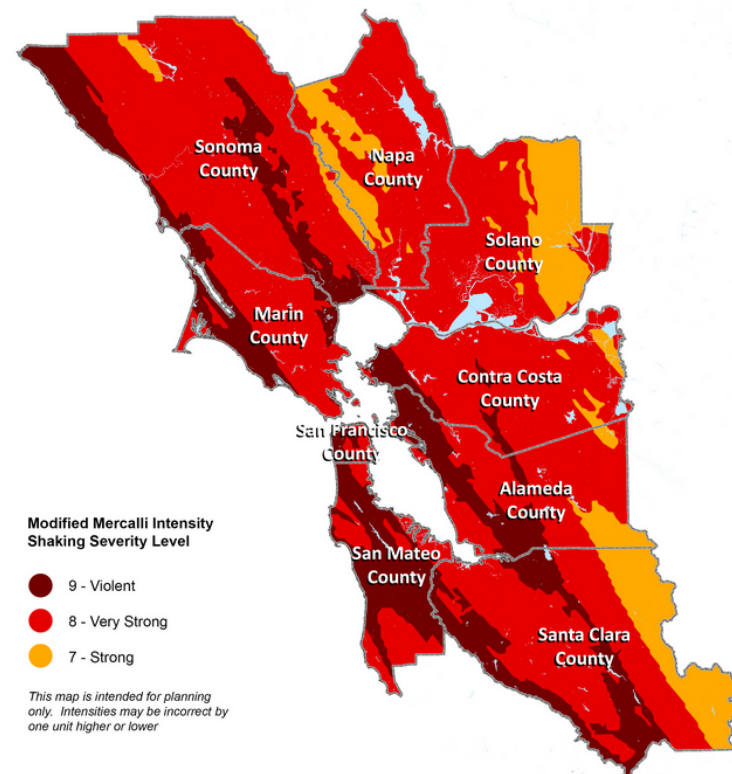
- Focused outreach in partnership with local jurisdictions
- Each plan section was reviewed and updated as needed
- New review and incorporation of existing programs, policies, and technical documents

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Goals:

- *Coordinate*
- *Conduct*
- *Engage*
- *Enrich*
- *Support*

Shaking Hazard Map



Source: USGS 2013

Benefits of coordinating regionally

- Pooling resources to work efficiently
- Coordinating interactions with critical regional infrastructure providers
- Coordinating with other regional planning efforts

Next steps

- What's changed? What should we coordinate with?
- Engaging and mobilizing partners
- Plan development

What's different?

- Limited regional mitigation strategies, more emphasis on locally-developed mitigation strategies
- Greater, more innovative integration of various resilience and sustainability planning processes at local and regional levels
- More emphasis on assistance and guidance to local jurisdictions – this is a local plan, first and foremost

What's different?

- Build on other ABAG planning efforts:
 - Plan Bay Area
 - Regional Resilience Initiative
 - Housing and Community Risk
 - Local Government Resilience Toolkit
 - Loma Prieta 25th Anniversary Symposium



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